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1. (C) Sociologist Jaime Antesana, an expert in cocalero politics working for a USAID contractor, during a 9/21 meeting with Emboffs said that the cocalero movement appears to be coalescing in support of ultra-nationalist Ollanta Humala's presidential candidacy. Antesana added that he met with Humala recently, and the latter showed him the results of a poll by an international company, which Humala said was funded by the Government of Venezuela, that gave him 10 percent of the vote nationwide.

12. (C) In a 9/28 meeting with Deputy Polcouns, congressional advisor Julio Schiappa, who also teaches a graduate school seminar, said that he met with Humala recently through one of his students, who coordinates Humala's party membership drive. Schiappa said that Humala acknowledged having a hard time obtaining the 128,000 signatures needed to register his party, and that he would probably just have to "buy" one of the mini-parties that has already registered (29 parties are currently registered for the 2006 election).

13. (C) According to Schiappa, in subsequent conversations his student confided that Humala is receiving money from Chavez, but did not/not provide specifics. Schiappa also stated that Linda Lema, an advisor to First Lady Eliane Karp, has told him that she was romantically involved with Chavez when she was a student in Venezuela in the 1980s, that Chavez is providing funds to Humala through retired Army General Emilio Bobbio and retired Army Captain Eloy Villacrez, and that the Venezuelan Government is paying for a survey in Peru of Humala's electoral prospects.

14. (C) COMMENT: We have found both Antesana and Schiappa to be reliable sources in the past. While Schiappa's evidence on Humala's links to Chavez are all hearsay, Lema's alleged claim of GOV funding for polls jibes with what Antesana said he heard from Humala himself. We also note that General Bobbio has been linked with Humala by the press and other Embassy sources, although Bobbio has denied any current ties in conversations with DAO. END COMMENT.
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